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Hopeton
May 12th 1916

Dear Cousin

I suppose you will be surprised to hear from me. Well I have a favor to ask. Edith, my second daughter wants to take a one year Household Science Course at the Lillian Massey, leading to a certificate, and has written Miss A. L. Laird Associate Prof. of Household Science whose letter I enclose. It seems doubtful if any except Ontario students are admitted. But if

necessary I would be willing
to pay extra for the privilege,
Now if it is not too much trouble
or you do not feel you would be
meddling in some other persons
business, I thought you might
be able to secure an entrance for
her, Edith holds a First Class
Certificate from P. W. C.
Now if you can help you will be
doing me a great favor
Hoping You and Yours are all well

I remain your Cousin

Aubrey

P. O. Box 294
Charlottetown

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Hopeton
June 10, 1916.

Dear Rob.-

I suppose you are very busy, and am sorry to bother you. But as Edith is anxious to take the one year course I am sending you the letter she received from Toronto You said in your letter if the extra fee was paid it would be satisfactory and I am quite willing to do so. You will greatly oblige if you can arrange it.

Aubrey.

ADDRESS REPLY TO
LILLIAN MASSEY BUILDING
QUEEN'S PARK, TORONTO.

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UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE

May 1, 1916.

Miss Edith Mutch
Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Dear Miss Mutch,

Your letter received last week.

We have a One year Course which is being conducted for the Ontario Department of Education and I cannot say whether they would accept your P. E. I. professional teacher's certificate as entrance, or whether they accept only an Ontario professional certificate. I enclose a circular giving information about this course and would suggest that you write to the Deputy Minister of Education, Department of Education, Toronto and ask if you might be admitted on your professional certificate from P. E. I.

If they would not accept you as a candidate for their certificate, they might admit you, providing there is room in the class, with the understanding that you do not get a teacher's certificate.

If I can help you further I shall be glad to.

Yours very truly

Annie L. Laird

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UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO
FACULTY OF EDUCATION

June 9,1916.

Miss Edith Mutch,

Box 294,

Charlottetown,P.E.I.

Dear Madam:

I am enclosing a copy of the reply received from the Department of Education in regard to your application for admission to the one-year course in Household Science.

If there is room enough in the classes you might be admitted as an occasional student, but you would not be granted a certificate in the event of your completing the course satisfactorily.

Your certificates and the calendar will be sent you under separate cover.

Yours truly,

W. Patterson
Per A.

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C O P Y

Toronto, June 8, 1916.

Dear Sir:

I am directed by the Minister of Education to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 5th inst. together with the Prince Edward Island certificates of Miss Edith Mutch and the Normal School Calendar, and in reply to state that as the minimum qualifications required for admission to the teachers' course in Household Science is a Professional Second Class certificate, the Prince Edward Island certificates submitted cannot be accepted as an equivalent for the Ontario requirements.

The certificates of Miss Mutch and the College Calendar are being returned to you.

I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,

A.H.U.Colquhoun,

Deputy Minister of Education.

W.Pakenham, Esq., D.Paed.,

Dean, Faculty of Education,

Toronto.

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June 22rd, 1917

Miss Edith Muton,

Footeon, N.S.T.

My dear Edith:

I am glad to be able to send you the enclosed certificate and to congratulate you on the work done during the session. Miss Laird has reported very favourably upon your work and it is a satisfaction to know that you went through the winter so satisfactorily. I congratulate your father and mother as well as yourself upon these results.

Many thanks for your congratulations, and for those of your father and mother on the unexpected honour that I received on the King's birthday. An honour of this kind is apt to be associated with such a position as the presidency of a large university.

Our house is closed and the family are up farming at the lake, where I go for a few days this evening. I hope you will find work for which your last winter's study has equipped you serviceable for yourself and for the country.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.

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June 22nd, 1917

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I have much pleasure in certifying that Miss Faith Mutch attended the ordinary certificate course in Household Science in the University of Toronto for the session 1916 - 1917 and obtained the following standing:

Part I.

Foods and Food Preparation	I Class Honours.
Household Management	I Class Honours.
Sewing	I Class Honours.
Elementary Applied Chemistry	I Class Honours.
Part II.	I Class Honours.

Miss Laird, the Professor of Household Science, has assured me that Miss Mutch did her work in a most satisfactory way, and showed herself to be highly competent in the work that she performed. Had she intended to teach in Ontario she would have received a certificate which would give her standing in connection with this course.

President,

University of Toronto.